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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

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For: METHOD FOR NGF ASSAY FOR IN VITRO DIAGNOSIS OF BREAST CANCER  
AND THERAPEUTIC USE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the July 18, 2005, Notification to Comply (copy attached), please consider  
the following:

**Amendments to the Specification; and**

**Remarks.**